



The Splinter

Information for ACC Students –3/18/2021

Welcome to Spring 2021 Semester, Lumberjacks

Look for a new Splinter every week of the semester - it contains information about all things ACC: processes, deadlines, department information, club activities, policies, and other items that are of interest to students. A link is posted on our website www.alpenacc.edu in the Calendar & Events section and sent to all ACC email addresses. Several copies are distributed around campus. Please take a few minutes during the week to review it.

Early Registration opens for Summer/Fall 2021 (returning students) on Monday, March 22.

Spring Graduation Applications were due in the Registrar's Office on **Friday, January 29, 2021.**

Course Withdrawal Deadlines – Individual Course Withdrawal (W Grade): **March 26, 2021.** Complete Withdrawal – ALL Courses (W Grades): **April 30, 2021.** For short courses (less than 16 weeks) – contact the Registrar's Office for drop/withdrawal dates.

Pre-nursing Students it is time to apply to the LPN and RN Nursing Programs! Application deadline is April 10, 2021. Applications can be [completed here](#) or are available in NRC 202. If you have any questions, please contact bregel@alpenacc.edu.

Michigan Transfer Network – www.mitransfer.org - For ACC listing of equivalencies, other college's equivalencies, and college information check out the Michigan Transfer Network website.

ACC Bookstore is open Monday through Thursday 8:30am–5pm, Friday 8:30am–2pm.

The Student Food Pantry, located in the BTC, is stocked and ready for students. We added a full-sized refrigerator which will have yogurt, cheese, eggs, and more. We are grateful for the generous donations from our community. Thank you!

Student Success Workshops – All workshops are approximately 45 minutes and are located in CTR 115 (VCS) and OSC 213. For more information, contact Jenn Watson at watsonj@alpenacc.edu or visit VLH 125.

- **APA Exposed – Wednesday, March 24 at 9am and 1pm** – This workshop exposes the basics of formatting an MLA paper including information on how to begin researching and where to find credible sources. Also, uncover how to use in-text citations and create citations in works cited page.
- **Managing Test Anxiety – Thursday, March 25 at 1pm** – Don't stress your tests! Learn about what test anxiety is and why it happens. Also, learn and practice relaxation techniques to help you reduce your anxiety and to help you unwind.

Van Lare Hall Office Relocations

As the renovations to Van Lare Hall continue, all of the offices located on the West side of the building have been temporarily relocated. Students should park in the parking lot on the East side of the building, across from College Park Apartments, and use one of those doors to access the building.

Admissions - VLH 113
Cashier - VLH 126
Dean of Students - VLH 115D
Financial Aid - VLH 119
Human Resources - VLH 124
Student Success Center - VLH 125
Registrar's Office - VLH 117
Testing Center - VLH 128
VP of Instruction - VLH 115C
VP of Admin & Finance - VLH 126C

@myacc.alpenacc.edu All ACC students receive a college email address and Office 365®. Official communication will be sent to this email account. Be sure to get yours set up and check it regularly.

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ACC Testing Center – VLH 128

Temporary location in the newly renovated end of Van Lare Hall, Rooms 128. Hours are Monday 9:30am-noon and 1-4:30pm, Tuesday 1-6pm, Wednesday 8am-noon and 1-4pm, Thursday 10am-2pm and 3-7pm, and Friday 9am-1pm. Hours are subject to change. Please call ahead to make an appointment whenever possible. Photo ID is required for testing. Contact Beth Matzke at 989-358-7209 or matzkeb@alpenacc.edu.

Free Counseling Services Now Available to Students – Through a partnership with Northern Therapeutic Center and with funding provided by the Strengthening Institutions Program grant, ACC is pleased to provide **free** mental health counseling services to students. With a strong background in crisis work and a passion for helping young adults, Carey M. Schiller, LMSW, earned a double major in Psychology and Individual & Family Relations from WMU and obtained her Master's Degree in Social Work from the University of Wisconsin. We are so glad Carey is a part of our team! Carey will see students Fridays from 10am-noon. Her office is located in the World Center for Concrete Technology (WCCT), Room 110C. She is also available for telehealth calls! To schedule an appointment, contact Lisa Blumenthal at 989-358-7296 or blumentl@alpenacc.edu.

ACC Student Success Center VLH 125 Your place for free tutoring, proofreading, workshops, and general question-answering. Also, get help with WebAdvisor, BlackBoard, and Microsoft Office 365. We are always looking for good tutors and we pay! Stop by the Student Success Center or call Colleen Jacobs at 989-358-7270 or Jenniffer Watson at 989-358-7408.

ACC Oscoda Campus Student Success Center, Testing Center, Computer Lab Room 206

Monday 9am-3pm, Tuesday noon-5:30pm, Wednesday 2-7pm, Thursday 2-7pm, and Friday 9am-2pm. Schedule testing appointments as computer space is limited and hours may occasionally vary. Photo ID is required prior to testing. Please anticipate your testing needs and allow enough time for testing. Contact Patrice Billiel at (989) 358-7445 or billielp@alpenacc.edu.

Fredrick T. Johnston Wellness Center is open Monday-Thursday 6:30am-6:30pm; Friday 6:30am-2pm; Saturday 8am-noon.

Stephen H. Fletcher Library, Newport Center Building Room 111

Monday-Wednesday 7:30am-8pm; Thursday 7:30am-5pm; Friday 7:30am-4pm; Saturday & Sunday 12-4pm. Contact the library at 358-7252 for information on requesting special hours or sessions.

ACC Photo ID Card Stop in the Student Success Center VLH 125 with photo identification and get your ACC ID card. Then flash it around town to receive your special discounts!

Self-Service – Colleague Self-Service is a modern and robust online tool for Alpena Community College students to perform the majority of their essential college tasks all in one place, such as registering for classes, viewing grades or the course catalog, applying for graduation, retrieving financial aid data and more. Access your account at <http://selfservice.alpenacc.edu>.

WebAdvisor is YOUR student information & record. Set up (or reset) your account by selecting the **W** icon on ACC's website and following the directions in the "I'm New to WebAdvisor" link. Stop in the Registrar's Office VLH 117 or the OIT Department CTR 108 if you need assistance.

Parking Permits are free – but required. Be sure to get yours from the Facilities Office BTC 101. Parking permits are now mandatory at the Oscoda Campus. Students can get their student IDs and parking permits in Room 206 at the Oscoda Campus, and they are valid at both campuses.

Class Cancellation & Campus Closure Information - Get the scoop on communication methods, notice locations, and more at <http://discover.alpenacc.edu/calendar/cancellations.php>.



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